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NO. 25

OLIVER SHARRAH NOT GUILTY

THIS VERDICT REACHED UPON
THIRD BALLOT.

Jury Deliberated Four Hours After
Closing of the Charge of
the Court.

Judge Donald P. McPherson finished his charge to the jury in the case of Oliver Sharrah, charged with the murder of Peter J. Deardorff at ten minutes after 5 o'clock last Friday evening and at 9:18 the jury had agreed upon their verdict and after ringing of bell and convening of the court at 9:30, the verdict of not guilty was announced.

Judge McPherson in his charge commended the jury for their careful attention at the trial and cautioned that this care be continued in determining the verdict. He said they must be mindful of their duty to society and see that it is protected.

They must not be frightened from their duty by fear of consequences of their decision, for this consequence does not devolve upon them.

Fear, pity, indignation, and passion should not enter into their consideration. The burden of proof for the crime is on the Commonwealth.

Murder in its different degrees was defined. In this case the shooting is not denied and a verdict of first or second degree murder or manslaughter or of not guilty may be found.

One theory as presented by the Commonwealth is that Deardorff was at Sharrah's by invitation and Sharrah was jealous of the man. This jealousy, aggravated by liquor and without provocation or justification, induced willful and premeditated murder.

Another theory is that Sharrah was so under the influence of liquor that the affair assumed the proportions of a drunken brawl. By reason of this drunkenness the defendant was not in control of his mind and in this event the crime would be second degree murder.

If Deardorff was at Sharrah's house against the owner's will and was disturbing the peace and sullying the honor of his wife, was threatening bodily harm while the prisoner was helpless to prevent it by reason of Deardorff's superior strength, then Sharrah was justified in resorting to his gun, believing Deardorff would leave according to his orders, under these circumstances; and if Deardorff still refused and assumed a threatening attitude so as to cause the defendant fear of his life, then the killing was justifiable to avert the peril. The fact that Sharrah was in his own home relieved him of the duty of retreat.

It is the duty of the jury to determine which of these different presentations of the case is correct. They were further cautioned that reasonable apprehension based on appearances at the time of the shooting was all that was necessary even though it was afterward ascertained there was no true cause for this apprehension.

In reviewing the testimony, the Court said it was not the intention to go over the matter in detail but cautioned the jury to disregard those statements made by Mrs. Sharrah while on the stand, because a wife or husband is not qualified to testify against the other.

The jury retiring first had supper served to them in the Court House, then the case was given consideration. Three ballots were required to reach verdict of acquittal, the first ballot was nine for acquittal and three for manslaughter, the second eleven for acquittal and one for manslaughter, and the third one unanimous for acquittal.

As soon as the verdict was announced the counsel for Sharrah asked for his discharge and he was discharged from custody by the Court.

E. C. Fitz, a farmer of Liberty township was the foreman of the jury and other jurors were Samuel

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with assault and battery with intent to commit rape was the last case tried. Eisinger formerly lived in Gettysburg and was engaged in junk dealing. It was on one of his junk gathering trips that the alleged offense occurred. Eisinger went to the home of Robert Hess, below Hampton on Nov. 23 to get some iron. Mr. Hess was not at home but Mrs. Hess answered his call, telling him he could not take the junk unless her husband was there. He insisted that she let him haul it away and against his protest loaded it upon his wagon. Later he is said to have attempted the assault on Mrs. Hess. Officers were notified but not until several weeks later was the junk dealer located in York by Officer Wilson. Eisinger had no witnesses. Attorney Stable was appointed by Court to defend prisoner while the case of the Commonwealth was conducted by District Attorney Topper. The jury found a verdict of guilty on the charge of assault and battery with attempt to commit rape.

The next case tried was that of Com. vs. John N. Kauffman on the charge of fornication and bastardy on oath of Maria L. Wagaman. The defendant was found guilty and was sentenced to pay \$100 in expenses, \$42.50 for maintenance up to date and \$1.25 per week until child was seven years old.

Com. vs. Harvey Hartman. Defendant plead guilty and the Court suspended sentence. The defendant to refund the money stolen and pay the costs. The defendant paid at once \$10 and agreed to pay \$3 per week until full restitution had been made and costs paid.

On Monday the Court sentenced Eisinger to the Eastern Penitentiary for a term of not less than two or more than four years.

A subpoena was awarded in the divorce proceeding of Irene Mathews against John A. Mathews, who is charged with desertion.

John H. Waddle and Elia Gastley on Wednesday asked the Clerk of the Court for a license to marry. The woman refusing to answer questions put to her, Clerk Sheely refused to grant the license and matter was referred to the Court who heard the application. In court the woman answered the questions put to her and the license was authorized to be issued.

License Court Finished.

On Tuesday of this week the Klinefelter license application for the Washington Hotel was taken up. The applicant calling witnesses in rebuttal. Klinefelter went on the stand denying that he served to men of in-

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Old Fashioned Dance.

The Old Fashioned Dance for the benefit of the Kurtz Playground at Xavier Hall on Thursday evening was

such a glorious success that everyone voted for another one before the first one was over and it was announced that the second old fashioned dance would be held on February 22nd.

The event was a great frolic, with many dancing the dances of former days, lancers, schottische, polka and other dances well, and those who were doing them well were not the youngest on the floor, while the latest

showed the former how to dance the two-step and a few modern ones, but good humor abounded. The many mistakes only added to the merriment and every one had a good time.

Remember February 22, date of the next Old Fashioned Dance.

See Fire Engines.

Five of seven members of the committee to recommend the kind of an automobile fire engine to be purchased for Gettysburg visited Carlisle and Harrisburg on Monday. Those

in the party were Councilman James McDonnell and Harry D. Geiselman, Fireman Allan L. Plank and Citizens

George Eberhart and J. A. Lenz. The members of committee unable to go along were Councilman Winter and Fireman C. H. Wilson. At Carlisle

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and to contract for and superintend the construction of said memorial. Sec. 3. That for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the sum of \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury of the United States, not otherwise appropriated.

Co. School Directors Convention.

The annual convention of the Adams County School Directors' Association will be held in the Court House on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 17th and 18th.

On Thursday there will be two addresses by Mr. H. W. Foght, expert assistant in Rural School Education of Department of Education in Washington, D. C. Mr. Millard E. King, of the Industrial Department of Education of Pennsylvania will make an address on Thursday. In the evening Dr. Edwin E. Sparks, President of Pennsylvania State College, will deliver his lecture, "The Great Crucible." At this session there will also be an illustrated lecture on the Schools of Denmark by Dr. H. W. Foght. Mr. Foght has just returned from Denmark where he was sent by the Department of Education.

A full and equally interesting program will be arranged for the Friday sessions but we are unable to announce it at this time as it has not been entirely completed.

The County Teachers' Rally will be held in the High School Building on Saturday morning and afternoon, February 19th.

Bold Hold Up.

Harry Shultz living north of town, started for his home in a buggy accompanied by his wife and small son on last Saturday evening shortly after 9 o'clock. A short distance north of town he was stopped by two men, to all appearances colored men. One

grabbed the horse by the bridle, the other flashing a light on the occupants of the buggy ordering them to put up their hands, and then directed the boy to go through the pockets of his parents and hand over their money. The boy handed out a dollar bill and some change and part of the latter fell to the road. Mr. Shultz was then ordered to proceed on home quietly or he would receive shots from the rear. Mr. Shultz went to the first house and phoned to the police in town and they went to the Almshouse and arrested two colored men there. Mr. Shultz could

not identify either of the men, and it appeared that the men were at the Almshouse about the time of the hold up it was concluded that the colored men had not done the hold up job so they were discharged on Tuesday. No further clues to be held up men have been run down.

Newton A. Tawney died at his home on East Middle street last Saturday aged 71 years, 3 months and 13 days. Newton Amos Tawney was a son of the late Abraham and Catherine Tawney, and was born in Mt. Joy township, October 22, 1844. He lived the greater part of his life in Mt. Pleasant township where he was successfully engaged at farming until his removal to Gettysburg about eight years ago and has since been living retired. Mr. Tawney was married to Miss Clara Stallsmith, a daughter of the late Daniel Stallsmith of Straban township and she

survives together with two sons and two daughters as follows: Mrs. Alberta Whisler of Mt. Pleasant township, Clinton E. Tawney of Mt. Pleasant township, Charles B. of Modesto, Cal., and Miss Carrie Tawney, residing at home. One sister, Mrs. Alfredine Rinehart of Mt. Pleasant township survives. He was for many years president of the Liberty Independent Fire Insurance Company and was the last surviving charter member of that organization. He was closely identified with the management of the company since it was formed and had done much in promoting its growth in Adams county. He was a member of Salem United Brethren Church. The funeral was held Tuesday. Services

were conducted by the Rev. W. R. Glen, assisted by the Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley, interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

William L. Arnold, proprietor of Hotel Columbus, McSherrystown, died suddenly last Saturday after a brief illness from pneumonia, in his 50th year. He was a native of Carrollton, Md. He followed the huckstering and butchering business

up to sixteen years ago when he moved to Taneytown, where he was

engaged in the coach business. Four years ago he purchased the Central Hotel in Taneytown, which he conducted for three years and in 1913 he purchased the Hotel Columbus, McSherrystown. The short time he

had in McSherrystown he had given his hotel a reputation for an excellency of service. The funeral was on Tuesday, interment on Wednesday at Uniontown, Md. He was married to Miss Lillie I. Slonaker of Uniontown, Md., who survives with the following children: Mrs. John Lester, Mrs. Peter Graham of Taneytown, Mrs. Scott White, Theresa Arnold and Russell Arnold at home.

Mrs. Fannie Arnold Turner's death Saturday morning startled the town and was especially sad as she was the young mother of an interesting family of four young children. She was the wife of Thomas P. Turner, Manager of the Gettysburg Light and Railway Co. and was aged 36 years, 6 months and 24 days. But

she was a widow for 10 years, having died in 1903. She was the mother of four children: Mrs. John Lester, Mrs. Peter Graham of Taneytown, Mrs. Scott White, Theresa Arnold and Russell Arnold at home.

Rev. J. Milton Snyder died at his home in Homer City, Pa. Sunday aged 65 years. Last November Mr. Snyder fell, breaking one hip and his decline in health has been gradual since that date. He was a graduate of Gettysburg College with the class of 1875 and subsequently from the Theological Seminary. He held pastorate after his ordination in 1878 at Elk Lick, Myersdale, Uniontown and Homer City. He was married to Miss Mary E. Singmaster of Camp Hill, who survives with one son.

Mrs. Carrie Viola Reddell of Berwick died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Reddell, 111 North Main street, Sunday morning. She had been visiting at the home of Mr. Wm. H. Reddell several weeks and had been in good health until she was taken sick after which she was taken to the hospital where she died. Mrs. Reddell was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Reddell, Berwick, and was aged about 24 years. She went to North Berwick after Christmas. She is survived by her parents and three sisters, Mrs. Oliver McDaniel of Berwick, Mrs. John Irwin of Germania, and Miss Mary Reddell, a student at Shippensburg Normal School. The body was brought to Gettysburg and interment made at Mt. Joy Church.

Mrs. Emma T. Bingham died in the Chambersburg Hospital last Friday morning.

New Book by Elsie Singmaster.

"Eminence" is the title of the new book by Elsie Singmaster, just issued by the Ziegfeld Co., Press of Gettysburg. The book is dedicated to Miss Annie Horner of Chambersburg, who was born in Hanover, Pennsylvania, May 2, 1858.

Miss Annie Wallace Horner is a native of Hanover, Pa., and was educated at the University of Pennsylvania, where she

graduated in 1880. She taught in the public schools of Hanover, and was

then married to Dr. W. H. C. Allerman, a

physician, and they have three children: Mrs. John Irwin, Mrs. Oliver McDaniel, and Mrs. Mary Reddell.

John Stock Myers of Hanover, a

native of Hanover, Pa., died Saturday

morning at the age of 70 years.

WANDERED HOME TO DIE

NICHOLAS I. CODORI LIVES LESS THAN TWO MONTHS.

His Death Recalls that of His Father a Few Weeks Home From a Rebel Prison.

Nicholas I. Codori, the wanderer, better known as "Sonny" Codori and "Devil Nick" Codori, passed away at the home of a relative in Cumberland township in less than two months after having wandered back to the home of his youth. The closing days of his life present a pathetic picture. After serving his country during the Civil War, in the 165th, 20th and 2nd Pennsylvania Regiments, he becomes a wanderer. He does not return to his home, wife and children, he drops out of sight and is not heard of for over 50 years.

He lived at a number of places, his first residence being at Salem, Oregon. Before Christmas, when in his 16th year, the desire to see the old home place possesses him and he returns to Gettysburg Dec. 23, and is a stranger in a strange place. All

the people he had known well with a few exceptions had passed on. For days he could be seen going up and down the street, apparently hunting the places he had once known, and then having lived to wander home he passes away. Nicholas Codori was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Codori, highly esteemed citizens living

on the first square of West Middle

street and their death was most pathetic. George Codori was one of the peaceful citizens of this place taken prisoner by the Confederates at the time of the battle and after long imprisonment came home to be taken ill within three weeks afterward and was nursed by his wife.

He died and soon after the wife sickened and died. The body of Nicholas I. Codori was taken to the home of his niece, Mrs. W. D. McSherry, and funeral was held Friday morning from St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, with interment in the Cemetery of McSherrystown, and Mrs. John Codori of Wilmington, Del., Frank Codori of Philadelphia, John Codori of San Bernardino, Cal.

John B. Krepps, until recently residing in McSherrystown, died early Tuesday in the County Home from tuberculosis of the bowels, aged 49 years and 10 months. He is survived by his father, Crapster Krepps, of McSherrystown, and the following brothers and sisters: Frank of Selma, Ala., Jerome of Philadelphia, Joseph and J. W. Krepps of McSherrystown; Sister Corpus Christa, at the Convent in Chambersburg, Sister Burnedette, of St. Joseph's Convent, McSherryst

SPRING SALE LIST—1916

Tuesday, February 1st.

Samuel B. Vaughn—Cumberland—Thompson.

Wednesday, February 2nd.

Chas. W. Strickhousen—Mt. Joy—Lightner.

Thursday, February 3rd.

H. N. Gebhart—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Monday, February 7th.

Chas. Harmon—Butler—Slaybaugh.

Tuesday, February 8th.

H. V. Wagner—Straban—Thompson.

John Yeag—Mt. Joy—Lightner.

Wednesday, February 9th.

J. E. Keece—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

P. J. Schriener—Huntington—Lerew & Lerew.

Thursday, February 10th.

E. K. Lehmann—Franklin—Slaybaugh.

Brain Saneleiter—Mt. Pleasant.

Friday, February 11th.

Jas. Millheim—Straban.

Saturday, February 12th.

G. A. Hare—Straban—Caldwell.

M. L. Hoke—Hamilton.

Tuesday, February 15th.

S. J. Gladfelter—Straban—Thompson.

Robt. Hetrick—Conewago.

Robt. Philips—Reading.

Daniel S. Frey—Liberty—Crouse.

Wednesday, February 16th.

C. A. Bream—Franklin—Martz.

R. C. Spangler—Tyrone—Thompson.

Thursday, February 17th.

F. F. McDermitt—Highland—Taylor.

C. N. Whorley—Mt. Joy—Thompson.

Friday, February 18th.

S. L. Null—Cumberland—Thompson.

Saturday, February 19th.

A. H. Cutshall—Cumberland—Thompson.

G. O. Hoover—Hamilton.

J. A. Cleaver—Latimore—Lerew.

Monday, February 21st.

O. S. Riley—Straban—Thompson.

W. H. Jacoby—Mt. Pleasant.

Tuesday, February 22nd.

R. T. Saueringer—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

G. Strasbaugh—Cumberland—Caldwell.

H. E. Haar—Hamilton.

J. E. Harsacher—Reading.

Wednesday, February 23rd.

C. J. Tyson, Exrs.—Menallen—Slaybaugh & Lerew.

D. D. Mickley—Hamiltonban—McDermitt.

J. Lemon—Mt. Joy—Thompson.

Thursday, February 24th.

S. C. Monn—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

H. Fickel—Latimore—Lerew, etc.

W. Leininger—Hamiltonban—McDermitt.

Friday, February 25th.

G. Kinter—Latimore—Lerew.

R. C. Shoemaker—Germany—Thompson.

Lewis Guise—near Abbottstown.

Saturday, February 26th.

L. A. Smith—Mt. Pleasant.

C. W. Kennedy—Latimore—Kimmel.

Monday, February 28th.

J. B. Twining—Straban—Slaybaugh.

Tuesday, February 29th.

A. J. Shambrook—Mt. Pleasant.

J. B. Bollinger—Cumberland—Thompson.

S. M. Keagy—Union—Baschoar.

S. A. Maserer—Latimore.

J. J. Spense—Highland—McDermitt.

A. Newman—Franklin—Martz.

Mrs. D. Thompson—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 1st.

M. E. Freed—Franklin—Martz.

H. Miller—Hamiltonban—McDermitt.

G. A. Harmon—Hamilton.

J. C. Starner—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, March 2nd.

C. Marshall—Hamiltonban—Caldwell.

Musselman Bros.—Franklin—Martz.

J. H. Murren—Conewago.

J. M. Stonestreet—Straban—Slaybaugh.

J. H. Herman—Kohler's School.

Friday, March 3rd.

W. J. Bair—Mt. Joy—Myers.

Houch Bros.—Butler—Slaybaugh.

C. Baker—Cumberland—Thompson.

Saturday, March 4th.

L. E. Hershey—Cumberland—Caldwell.

S. Davis—Huntington—Thompson.

A. P. Lippy—Union—Baschoar.

C. Asper—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Monday, March 6th.

G. W. Fickes—Huntington—Lerew.

F. Lott—Highland—Thompson.

E. C. Keefer—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

H. Hartman—Butler—Martz.

Tuesday, March 7th.

Calvin Good—Union.

N. E. Orndorff—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

E. A. Chronister—Hamilton.

G. Harbaugh—Franklin—McDermitt.

G. & H. Slaybaugh—Butler—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 8th.

C. E. Raffensperger—Butler—Taylor.

W. H. Johnson—Hamiltonban—Caldwell.

Paul Wolf—Hamilton.

Thursday, March 9th.

H. A. Donaldson—Hamiltonban—Caldwell.

G. D. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

J. E. Kuehne—Hamilton.

H. Spangler—Butler—Slaybaugh.

C. P. Smith—New Oxford.

Friday, March 10th.

Peter J. ——Lerew.

M. S. L. ——Lerew.

F. S. Kuehne—Straban—Thompson.

J. E. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

F. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

Frank Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

Saturday, March 11th.

H. H. Wolf—Hamiltonban—Caldwell.

J. M. Fickes—Huntington—Lerew.

E. C. Keefer—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

S. L. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

J. E. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

M. Kuehne—Union—Thompson.

Monday, March 13th.

E. Gardner—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.

J. J. Ditzler—Straban—Thompson.

Robert King—New Oxford.

Tuesday, March 14th.

L. J. Reaver—Cumberland—Thompson.

J. J. Sadler—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

John Fidler—Butler—Taylor.

Wednesday, March 15th.

H. S. Montfort—Straban—Trostle.

P. C. Sowers—Franklin—Martz.

A. H. Walker—Mt. Joy—Lightner.

Amos Bushey—Latimore.

C. R. Snyder—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

J. A. Guidetti—Menallen—Taylor.

Valentine Wildman—Union.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

REPORT.

Of the condition of the First National Bank of Gettysburg at Gettysburg, Pa., in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$951,420.20
Overdrafts secured and un-
secured 4,699.16
U. S. Bonds to secure circu-
lation (par value) 100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc., on
hand (other than stocks)
including premiums on
same 173,327.95Subscription to
stock of Federal
Reserve Bank 11,400.00
Less amount un-
paid 7,200.00
7,200.00Banking house..... 73,175.00
Furniture and fix-
tures 7,825.00
81,000.00Other real estate owned..
Due from Federal Reserve
bank 31,221.18
18,500.00Due from approved Reserve
agents in New York, Chi-
cago and St. Louis..... 2,010.91
Due from approved Re-
serve agents in other
cities 18,041.51Due from banks and bank-
ers (other than above)..
Outside checks &
other cash items \$1,359.15
Fractional currency
nickels and cents \$ 404.02
1,763.17Checks on banks in the
same city or town as re-
porting bank 768.82
Notes of other national
banks 805.00
Federal reserve notes.... 65.00
Lawful money reserve in
bank, viz: 793,801.08Coin and certificates..... 22,742.30
Legal-tender notes 7,035.00
Redemption fund with U. S.
Treasurer (5 per cent. of
circulation) 5,000.00
Total \$1,435,651.75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$100,000.00
Surplus fund 140,000.00
Undivided profits \$56,577.45
Less current ex-
penses, interest
and taxes paid .. 5,853.87
50,723.58Circulating notes 97,730.00
Dividends unpaid 140.00
Individual deposits subject
to check 167,327.52
Cashier's checks outstand-
ing 5,929.57
Deposits subject to 30 or
more days' notice 793,801.08
Bills payable including ob-
ligations representing
money borrowed 30,000.00
Total \$1,435,651.75State of Pennsylvania, County of Ad-
ams, SS.I. J. Elmer Musselman, Cashier of
the above-named bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is true
to the best of my knowledge and be-
lief.J. ELMER MUSSELMAN,
Cashier.Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 11th day of Jan., 1916.H. G. WILLIAMS, N. P.
Correct Attest:

G. H. TROSTLE

J. D. BROWN

W. S. ADAMS

Directors.

REPORT

Of the condition of the National
Bank of Arendtsville, at Arendtsville,
in the State of Pennsylvania, at the
close of business Dec. 31st, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... 130,181.51
Overdrafts, unsecured 90.70
U. S. Bonds deposited to se-
cure circulation (par
value) ... 25,000.00Other bonds, securities, etc.,
owned unpledged (other
than stocks), including
premiums on same..... 22,662.50Subscription to stock of
Federal Reserve Bank
..... \$2100.00Less amount paid 1050.00
Banking house, \$3870.36;
furniture and fixtures
\$505.08 4,678.44Due from Federal Reserve
Bank 2,250.00Due from approved reserve
agents in other reserve
cities 8,992.88Due from banks and bank-
ers 785.12Outside checks and other
cash items \$6,252;

PUBLIC SALE.

On WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23, 1916, the undersigned having sold his farm, and having no further use for the goods, will sell at public sale at his residence in Hamiltonian township, on the Tract road, two miles north of Fairfield, all his stock and implements, as follows: 10 Head of Horses and Mules, consisting of 6 farm horses and mares, ranging in age from 3 to 10 years, 4 young mules 3 rising 2 years, 1 rising 1 year old, bred from March's Jack. These have the making of good big mules and are nice to handle. 7 Head of Young Steers, nice Stock Cattle. Farming Implements consisting of 2 light farm wagons, spring wagon, falling top buggy, stick wagon, Milwaukee binder, good as new, good McCormick mower to fit, Osborne horse rakes, 8-prong Osborne haytedder, McCormick grain drill, 1 wisking and 1 riding corn plow, several single corn workers, corn planter, land roller, McCormick disc harrow, 2 spring-tooth harrows, good spike harrow, single shovel plow, 3 Syracuse long plows, nearly new wagon bed, 2 sets hay carriages, 1 set new, 20 ft. long cutter sleigh, wind mill, wheelbarrow, corn sheller. Lot of Harness, 6 sets front gears, set single harness, set double harness, 5 Yankee bridles, 2 sets check lines, 4 housings, all same pattern, wagon saddle, 10 halters, wagon and buggy nets, lead reins, tie straps and ropes, 6 collars, 4 manure forks, 2 pitch and other forks, rakes, hoes, picks, mattocks, 2 dirt and 2 scoop shovels, 10 pound sledge, stone hammer, 2 grindstones and frames, 2 three and 2 two-horse trees, lot of single trees, four-horse tree, complete, 3 pine jockey sticks, 2 spreaders, 2 log chains, breats, cow and tie chains, good jack screw hoisting jack, log hoist, good heavy block and tackle, sickle grinder, grain cradle, scythe and snath, two brier scythes and snaths, Iron Age sprayer, complete, bushel basket, 1-2 bushel and peck measures, platform scales, just new, steelyards, lot of handy farm and carpenter tools, such as augers, chisels, brace and bits, saws, etc., lot of bolts, assorted sizes, buggy spread, 2 lock chains, extra good rough lock, 1 ton of S. C. Rock fertilizer, lot of grain sacks. Household and Kitchen Furniture consisting of stoves, tables, chairs, dishes, pots, pans, iron kettle, good copper kettle and ring, Enterprise sausage stuffer and grinder, apples, smoked meat, about 800 bushels of potatoes by the bushel, lot of ear corn, 200 bushels good oats, lot of old iron, old junk and numerous other articles not mentioned. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock, when terms and conditions will be made known by

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PENNA. EMERGENCY MEN

FOR WHOM PENSION BILL WAS
INTRODUCED BY C. W. BEALES.Interesting Account by G. R. Powell
of Heroic Part Played by Penn-
sylvania Emergency Men.Introduction of a bill into the
House of Representatives at Wash-
ington, by Congressman Beales of
this district has a special stage and
local significance. The introduction of
this bill, which it enacted into law
after passing both houses of Congress
and receiving the signature of the
President of the United States, will
entitle all soldiers who volunteered
in the emergency service for the
defense of Pennsylvania to receive
a pension from the government.There were three invasions of this
State which were alarming during
the Civil War. The first occurred in
1862, shortly after Lee had defeated
Pope in the second battle of Bull
Run, a short distance southwest of
Washington. In that year the militia
of Pennsylvania was called out by
Governor Curtin to defend the
State. The call was made at the re-
quest of President Lincoln.Lee's first northern invasion termi-
nated in the great battle of Antietam
fought near Hagerstown, Md., in
Sept., 1862. Lee was supported by
Stonewall Jackson and it is claimed
that on the plains around Antietam
Creek the hardest one day's battle of
the Civil War was fought.General McClellan commanding the
Army of the Potomac defeated Lee
at Antietam, and the Southern army
immediately thereafter marched
back to Virginia. During this inva-
sion thousands of militia troops
of Pennsylvania entered the emer-
gency service and marched up the
Cumberland Valley to Hagerstown.
While they took no prominent part
in the battle of Antietam, these
emergency troops helped to prove
that every section of the Keystone
State was loyal to the Union and
were always ready to support Lin-
coln in his plan for prosecuting the
war.On the 4th of September, 1862, Governor
Curtin issued a proclamation, calling
on the people to arm, and
prepare for defense. He recom-
mended the immediate formation of
companies and regiments through-
out the whole Commonwealth, for
the purpose of drill and instruction,
that after 3 p. m. of each day, all
business houses be closed. On the
10th the danger having become im-
minent, the enemy being already in
Maryland, he issued a general order
calling on all able-bodied men to en-
roll immediately for the defense of
the State, and to hold themselves in
readiness to march on an hour's no-
tice; to select officers, to provide
themselves with such arms as could
be obtained, with 60 rounds of am-
munition to the man, tendering arms
to such as had none, and promising
that they should be held for service,
for such time only as the pressing
exigency for State defense should
continue.On the following day, acting under
the authority of the President of the
United States, the Governor called
for 50,000 men, directing them to re-
port by telegram for orders to move,
and adding that further calls would
be made as the exigencies should re-
quire. The people everywhere flew
to arms, and moved promptly to the
State Capital. One regiment and
eight companies were sent forward
during the night of the 12th, and
others followed as fast as they could
be organized. On the 14th, McClellan,
the head of the Army of the
Potomac, met the enemy at South
Mountain, and hurled him back
through its passes, and on the even-
ing of the 16th, and day of the 17th,
a fierce battle fought at Antietam.
In the meantime, the Pennsylvania
militia had rapidly concentrated at
Hagerstown and Chambersburg, and
General John F. Reynolds, who was
at the time commanding a corps in
the Army of the Potomac, had as-
sumed command of the Pennsylvania
militia.Fifteen thousand men were pushed
forward to Hagerstown and Boons-
boro, and a portion of them stood in
line of battle in close proximity to
the field, in readiness to advance
while the fierce fighting was in pro-
gress. Ten thousand more were posted
in the vicinity of Greencastle and
Chambersburg, and "about twenty-
five thousand," says Governor Curtin
in his annual message, "were at Har-
risburg, or in readiness and waiting
for transportation to proceed thither."The Twenty-fifth Regiment under
command of Colonel Dickey, at the
request of General McClellan, was sent
to the State of Delaware to guard
the Delaware River Mills, whence
the National arms were principally
supplied with powder. But the enemy
was "retreated to Virginia, and re-
treated to the mountains, and the
Pennsylvania militia followed."Immediately after Washington had gained
the victory of Antietam, the
Pennsylvania militia had marched
to the front of their service, the
regimental colors flying high in
the air, and the men shouting, "We
will follow you to hell!"The First Telegraph Line.
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telegraph line built for commercial
purposes between Washington and Bal-
timore, Professor Morse and his asso-
ciates offered to sell the invention to the
United States government for \$100,000,
but the price was considered too high.The government had appropriated \$20,
000 toward the construction of the
Washington-Baltimore line, but after a
short period of operation the postmas-
ter general, to whom President Polk
had referred the matter, wrote, "Al-
though the invention is an agent vastly
superior to any other devised by the
genius of man, yet the operation be-
tween Washington and Baltimore has
not satisfied me that under any rate of
postage that can be adopted its reve-
nues can be made to cover its expendi-
tures."Pennsylvania in the Revolution.
Touching upon the question of na-
tional preparedness for time of peril
on the ocean or invasion by a for-
eign foe that subject was clearly
shown by the patriotism of Pennsyl-
vania during the Revolution. Even
though 50,000 people from Germany
had settled in Pennsylvania before
the Revolution and had signed their
allegiance to the English Govern-
ment when they landed at Philadel-
phia and elsewhere, they proved loy-
al to our new form of government
and the military experience of the emer-
gency men from the Keystone State
during the last two invasions must
be reserved for the description in a
future article in these columns.It is interesting to state that Penn-
sylvania during her whole history
has proven herself to be loyal to
every interest of the Commonwealth.
Even during the Colonial Wars two
regiments of troops from the Province
of Pennsylvania, marched
against the French and Indians in
the western part of the Province.
They served under Braddock, the
English commander in 1755, and
proved that they were valiant soldiers.
Four companies from York
county enlisted under the English
flag and took part under Braddock
near Pittsburgh and later under
Montgomery at the battle of Kittan-
ning where they defeated the Indians
and drove them westward into
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DEATHS.

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stated that her early life had been spent in the vicinity of Emmitsburg, her maiden name being Emma Keule, where she had been previously married to a man named Mentzer, from whom she had been divorced. Her husband, Robert Bingham, was at the hospital when she died.

Mrs. Heilman, wife of Rev. Frank Heilman, formerly pastor of the York Springs Lutheran charge, died at her home in Canton, Ohio, last week. Rev. Heilman left York Springs about eleven years ago and has since resided in the West, where he was married about nine years ago. Besides her husband Mrs. Heilman is survived by four children.

Miss Barbara Shanberger, who for many years has made her home with the family of Mr. Jos. Livers, Littlestown, died Jan. 28 aged 68 years. She is survived by two brothers, Jos. Shanberger and Henry Shanberger of Baltimore. The funeral was held Monday morning from St. Aloysius Church, Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan officiating, interment in the Catholic Cemetery, Littlestown.

Benjamin Trimmer, an inmate of the Brethren Home, Huntsdale, formerly of East Berlin, died Tuesday at the age of 76 years. Mr. Trimmer is survived by his wife, also at the Home and a sister in Biglerville. Funeral services were held at the home on Friday, interment at East Berlin.

Mrs. Anna Spangler of East Berlin died Sunday morning at her home where she had been living for many years. She was aged about 56 years. Funeral on Wednesday, services at the Holschwam Church by Rev. O. P. Schellhamer and Rev. Irwin Ditzler.

James A. Hahn, a native of Littlestown, died suddenly at his home near Taneytown in his 62nd year. He was a prominent farmer. Stricken with angina pectoris he rolled from a couch where he was resting, to the floor and expired. He was twice married and leaves eight children by first wife and six by second marriage.

Mrs. Nora E. Flaugher died on Wednesday at Highfield aged 49 years. She was the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Harbaugh, of Sabillasville. Mrs. Flaugher leaves her husband and four children, also these sisters and brothers: Mrs. Emma Brown, Mrs. Jennie Harbaugh, Mrs. Amelia Eyler, Highfield, Mrs. Linnie Harbaugh of Hagerstown, James O. Harbaugh of near Emmitsburg, Charles B. Harbaugh of Fairfield, John P. Harbaugh of Hartsville, S. C. and Robert Harbaugh of Sabillasville.

Mrs. Leah Helwig, daughter of Henry and Hannah Stauffer, was born in Adams county, Pa., August 10, 1881, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. P. Niswanger, in Dayton, O., Jan. 20, 1916, aged 84 years, 5 months. When one year of age her parents settled near Canal Dover, O. She was educated in the common schools supplemented by a two year course at Oberlin College under the celebrated Doctor Finney. She was married to Rev. Adam Helwig, who was then pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church of St. Paris, O. Five children were born, of whom three remain. She was well fitted for the duties of a pastor's wife during the dark days of the Civil War. Interment was made at Brownsville, Ohio.

Jonas Leib, a former resident of East Berlin, died in New Cumberland on Wednesday in his 67th year. He was a former school teacher in Reading Township. Since death of his wife, he has been making his home with his children. He leaves the following children: Mrs. Cora Kauffman, Mrs. Blanche Wimand and Arthur Leib of Reading township, Mrs. Lizzie Hamm and Mrs. Matilda Fisher, East Berlin, Mrs. Daisy Kuehl, New Cumberland. William Leib, at present a student at Millersville State Normal School, and Charles Leib, of near Allentown. He also leaves one brother, Abraham Leib, of near East Berlin, and a sister, Mrs. Harry Zaroff, of East Berlin.

Mrs. Mary F. McDermitt died at the home of her brother-in-law, Geo. Fred, in Bendersville, on Wednesday, aged 82 years, 8 months and 21 days. The funeral will be held today, Saturday, services by Rev. Gardner, and Rev. Scott, interment in Bendersville Cemetery. She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. O. F. Dilley of Utah, Mrs. Abigail Freed of Littlestown, and Mrs. Jacob Hartman of Littlestown.

George A. Moose died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Annie M. Fair, in Freedom township, on Thursday morning aged 85 years, 3 months and 10 days. The funeral will be held today, Saturday, services at Marsh Creek Church of the Brethren, interment in cemetery adjoining.

Mrs. Emma Starner, wife of Harry Starner, died at her home in New Oxford on Thursday evening from typhoid fever aged about 50 years. She was the daughter of Mrs. Catherine Stark of Berlin Junction, who is critically ill as the result of a fall. The funeral will be held to-day, Saturday, mass of repose by Rev. Fr. St. A. in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, New Oxford, and interment in the New Oxford Cemetery.

Miss Amanda Bare, one of Harry Starner's children, died on Thursday aged 87 years and 6 days. She was born in Hanover township, a daughter of Daniel and Nancy Farry L. L. Her early life was spent with her parents in Hanover township and after their death moved with her sister, Miss Annie Bare, who survives, to Hanover. She was a life-long member of the Mennonite Church. The funeral will be held on Sunday with interment on the Bare lot in York Road Cemetery.



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Get on the right-smoke-track soon as you know how! Understand yourself how much you'll like

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Buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold—in topay red bags, 5c; tidy red tins, 10c; handsome pound and half-pound tin humidores—and in that classy crystal-glass pound humidor with sponge-moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such great trim!

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to decision of the Democratic voters at the primaries on Tuesday, May 6, 1916.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

D. CALVIN RUDISILL,
of Mt. Joy Township

FOR DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE.

JOSEPH I. WEAVER,
of New Oxford Borough.

MARRIAGES.

Harness—Rupp.—At the Presbyterian parsonage, this place, last Saturday evening, Feb. 5, at 7:30 o'clock, Miss Ruth Rupp, of Gettysburg, was married to Hunter Harness, formerly of Petersburg, W. Va. The bride's pastor, Rev. Taylor, performed the ceremony. The young couple were attended by William G. Rupp of Hanover, a brother of the bride, as best man, and Mrs. Rupp, as matron of honor. The bride was attired in pink organdie and carried pink and white carnations, while the matron of honor wore blue Georgette crepe and silver over pink satin and carried carnations. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Carrie Pittenturf. Miss Rupp is the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rupp, and the bride is connected with the American Express Company Office of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Harness will reside at No. 11 Carlisle street, Gettysburg.

Runkle—Baschoar.—St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Littlestown, was the scene of a pretty wedding last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock when Miss Ena May Baschoar, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Baschoar, of near Littlestown, became the bride of Dennis Runkle of Lancaster, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Runkle of Hanover. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John J. Hill, the bride's pastor. The bride was attired in a blue traveling suit with hat and gloves to match, and carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations and maiden-hair fern. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple were driven to Hanover where they left on a wedding trip to Lancaster and Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Runkle will reside in Lancaster, where the groom is employed by the Champion Forge Company.

Mickley—Bittinger.—Roy Mickley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Mickley and Miss Esther Bittinger, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bittinger, both of Franklin township, were married on January 27, in Washington, D. C., by the Rev. S. Schroeder. Mr. and Mrs. Bittinger have returned to their home in Franklin township. After April 1st they will go to housekeeping in Cashtown, occupying the property vacated by Joel McGaughan.

French—Weaver.—At a nuptial mass in St. Alphonsus Church, Littlestown, at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, Miss Ruth Weaver, daughter of J. Harry Weaver of Littlestown, was united in marriage to A. Robert French, Baltimore, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan, pastor of the church. There were no attendants. The bride wore a green broadcloth traveling suit. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. French left for a wedding tour through New York State and will later reside in a New York town where Mr. French will practice law. The wedding march was played by Miss Catherine Starr, Littlestown.

Smith—Eckeroede.—Miss Pauline Eckeroede, of near Littlestown, and Morris J. Smith of Centerville, were married Wednesday morning at a nuptial mass in St. Alphonsus Church, Littlestown, celebrated by the Rev. Fr. Bennett Smith, an uncle of the bride, assisted by the pastor of the church, the Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan. The marriage took place at 9:30 a.m. Miss Pauline Eckeroede, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Jane Lawrence, a cousin of the bride, was best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Catherine Starr, Littlestown. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eckeroede, of Germany, 1911. She is a graduate of St. Agnes' school, Littlestown, and for the last few years has been a bookkeeper at St. Agnes' Hospital, Baltimore. Mr. Smith is engaged at the cigar manufacturing business in Centerville and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride, at which a host of friends and relatives were in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside in Centerville, where they have a newly-erected home.

Miller—Woodward.—Samuel F. Miller and Miss Mary M. Woodward were married in York by the Rev. A. C. St. John, Roman Catholic priest of Gettysburg. Mr. Miller being a son of Jacob Miller, they will return to Gettysburg after a short visit with friends in New York.

Adams—Little.—Miss Jessie P. Little, widow, and John C. Adams of

Littlestown, were married in Hagerstown, Md., by the Rev. J. W. Lyon, Dec. 30, 1915. Announcement of the marriage has only recently been made. Mr. and Mrs. Adams will reside in Hanover.

Great Wonder Show.

The show of LeRoy, Talma and Bosco, illusionists, magicians and wonder workers on Thursday evening at Walter's Theatre outclassed any show along similar lines ever given in Gettysburg. Many of the wonders performed had never been attempted before in any exhibition here and they were startling and amazing, and held the audience spell-bound. Miller & Ziegler, managers of Walter's Theatre deserve great credit for the high class shows and exhibitions they aim to give this place.

Electric Wiring Inspector.

The following rule was filed with the Public Service Commission at Harrisburg by the Gettysburg Light Company and is in effect: "The Producer will refuse service to newly wired jobs, or additions to old jobs of wiring, unless the wiring has been approved and a certificate covering it has been issued by the Underwriters' Association."

The "pure food law" is designed by the Government to protect the public from injurious ingredients in both foods and drugs. It is beneficial both to the public and the conscientious manufacturer. Ely's Cream Balm, a successful remedy for cold in the head, nasal catarrh, hay fever, etc., containing no injurious drugs, meets fully the requirements of the new law, and that fact is prominently stated on every package. It contains none of the injurious drugs which are required by law to be mentioned on the label. Hence you can use it safely.

Dates for Fairs.

The following dates for the 1916 fairs have been fixed as follows: Hanover, September 12 to 15; Carlisle, September 19 to 22; Lancaster, September 26 to 29; York, October 2 to 6; Hagerstown, October 10 to 13; Frederick, October 17 to 20.

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Pan-America. The combined area of pan-America, exclusive of Canada, is 12,000,000 square miles, of which the Latin American countries occupy approximately 9,000,000 and the United States 3,000,000. This physical extent of pan-America is better realized when it is compared with that of Europe, which has 3,750,000 square miles, with Africa, which has 11,500,000, and with Asia, which has 17,050,000.

Pan-America's real greatness, significance and power in world relationship are emphasized by appreciation of its present population and the future possibilities for a vast increase. Its twenty-one nations can now boast of a population of 180,000,000, of which 100,000,000 are living in United States territory and 90,000,000 in Latin America.—John Barrett in North American Review.

Defining an Art Patron. "Is your husband so very fond of art?"

"Art? He doesn't know a Raphael from a hair cut."

"Why, I understood him to say that he was an art patron."

"Patron! That man wouldn't trade a club sandwich for a Bouquerue! What does he mean by calling himself an art patron?"

"Why, he says it costs him ten thousand a year to pay for the bogus masters the smooth dealers coax you to buy—and that makes him an art patron."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Playing Directions. "Good heavens, John, what made you pick out such an ugly woman to send a kiss? She scared the baby almost into fits."

"First tell what you told me, Maria. You said you wanted a plain cook, and I got the plainest one to be had."—Baltimore American.

A Sanguine Singer.

It is possible for a singer to be too strenuous. All students of musical history know that the famous tenor, Rubini, actually fractured his collarbone while singing a double forte on B flat.

Explained. Proud Father.—That is a sunset my daughter painted. She studied painting abroad, you know. Friend.—Ah, that explains it. I never saw a sunset like that in this country.—Pork.

These Girls Again. Edith, the original girl she has just reached the stage of life, Marie, You don't know what delayed her?—T. C. T.

PERSONALS.

—Mrs. John Hughes, Baltimore street, was called to Greencastle on Tuesday by the death of her brother Oliver Colleens.

—C. A. Richter was a recent business visitor in Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Bell, East Middle street, who have been seriously ill at his home for a month, are slowly recovering.

—Misses Grace, Anna, and Mrs. Clegg, Harrisburg, have returned to their homes after spending a week with relatives in town.

FOY WANTED.—Apply at Compiler Office.

PUBLIC SALE.

March 4, 1916.

Intending to quit heavy hauling, I will sell at my residence, on the road leading from Maria Furnace to the Fountain Dale road, in Hamiltonian township, the following: 7 Head of Horses, Mules and Colts. 1 pair of mule colts coming 2 years old, well mated, and have been handled some, No. 2, pair of horse colts, one coming 2 years old, one will make a heavy draft horse and the other is bred from Standard Prince and shows some speed; No. 3, Maud, bay mare, coming 5 years old, Belgian, weighing 1600 lbs., good oil-side worker, bred to the Zeutz Belgian horse, from Thurmont, Md.; No. 4, pair of black mules coming 4 years old, both good leaders, safe and sound. This is an exceptionally fine pair of mules. They were purchased at Wm. Weikert's sale in 1912, being the highest priced pair of mules sold at any sale in the county that year. This pair of mules hauled the State Hospital Ambulance during the 50th Anniversary in Gettysburg, and owner refused several high offers for them. FARMING IMPLEMENTS:

1 home-made wagon, made by Lewis Harbaugh, of Harbaugh's Valley. This wagon has been used only a short time. New tires on and everything in first-class condition. Capacity 4 tons. A heavy wagon, good as new, with top; pair of wood ladders, 16 ft. long, holding 2 cords of wood; sleds, one-horse mower, in good running order; Farmers' Favorite grain drill in good working order; 2 Oliver Chilled plows, No. 40, used only a short time; spike harrow, spring tooth cultivator, new corn sheller, grain cradle, log tie and many other chains, forks, old iron, wagon pole, iron pipes, shovel plows, corn plows, Harness, flynets, cutting box, some furniture, coal oil stove, barrels, wire fence locust posts, shingles by the thousand and many other articles not mentioned. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. A credit of 10 months will be given to purchasers giving their notes with approved security; 4 per cent. off for cash. Notes to draw interest from date if not paid at maturity. Further terms by

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Light and Dark Grounds at old prices.

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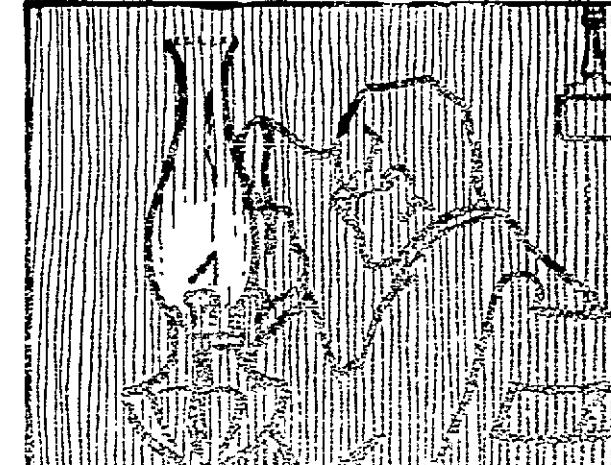
PUBLIC SALE

Of Live Stock.

On FRI. MAR 10, 1916, at my farm, formerly the Geo. Settle farm at Seven Stars, Pa., at 12 M. 2 Head of Horses and Mules. No. 1, Harry, the white-faced black horse, 9 years old, works anywhere, drives well single or double, fearless of all road objects, and has a running record of 3-4 miles in 110 1-2 sec. No. 2, Dick, a bay horse 5 years old, works anywhere, drives fine and is broke to the road. No. 3, Jean, a mouse colored mare 5 years old, safe and sound everywhere, works anywhere, drives any way, is thoroughly broke to all objects on the road and is perfectly safe for anyone to drive. Nos. 4 and 5, Jim and Pete, a pair of bay mules, 17 hands high, 5 and 7 years old, both leaders and work anywhere that mules are hitched. No. 6, Frank, a dark bay horse coming 3 years old, well broke, very smooth build, and will make a very heavy draft horse. No. 7, Cap, a bay mule 2 years old, will make a very large mule and is of a gentle disposition; is broke to halter and bridle and has been hitched. No. 8, Nellie, dark bay brood mare, now in foal to March's young jack and will foal about April 11th. This mare is fearless on the road, is a good leader and works anywhere hitched, 11 years old. No. 9, "Hannis," chestnut sorrel stallion of gentle and kind disposition, a good foal getter, his sire trotted a mile in 2:17 3-4, and his dam, Lady Hannis, trotted a mile in 2:07. All these horses are perfectly sound and blemishless except No. 8, which has lost an eye by an accident. 5 Head of Young Fresh Cows, one a full Jersey, 1 a Guernsey, the rest grade cows, all sound and fine milkers, 2 heifers that are advanced springers, 5 well bred Holstein bulls, all fit for service. 7 Head of fat Steers to be sold for cash, 2 fine brood sows, and some small sheats. Some fine Rhode Island Red cockerels, some white guineas, corn by the bushel, 50 bushels of Swan Down seed oats by the bushel, some Early Dent seed corn by the bushel, a double corn worker with other articles not herein mentioned. A credit of 10 months will be given on all sums over \$50, 5 per cent. off for cash, and every article offered will positively be sold to the highest bidder. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock noon.

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All the winter day you look forward to the evening, to serving supper, to seeing the family gathered in the sitting room—father reading, the young ones getting their lessons done, you yourself sewing—all surrounded by a soft flood of light from the beaming lamp on the center table.

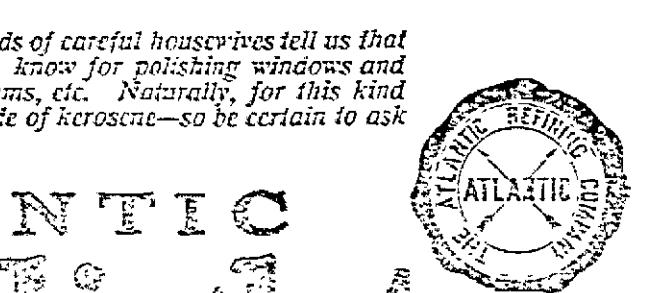
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The undersigned, administrators of the estate of Caroline E. Routsong, late of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams county, Pa., deceased, will sell at public sale on the 7th day of March, 1916, fourteen (14) shares of the Capital stock of the Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg, Pa., said sale to be held in the south-west corner of the Public Square, at the First National Bank Building, commencing at 1:30 P.M.

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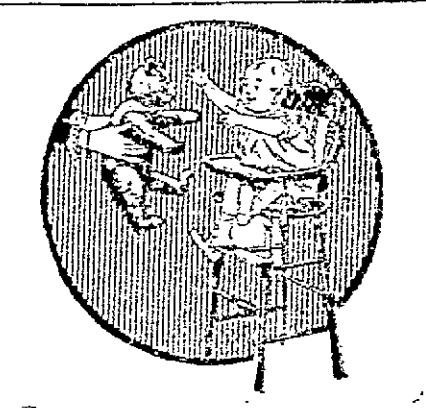
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STATE EXPERTS DIAGNOSE DISEASE



Each year more than fifteen thousand Pennsylvanians go to the State Tuberculosis Dispensaries for physical examination. Some of this number have been referred to the Dispensaries by their physician; others, from the various symptoms, such as the loss of weight, a severe and lasting cough, night sweats, seek information as to whether they have contracted tuberculosis.

From handling thousands of cases, the State Dispensary physicians have become exceptionally expert in the diagnosis of tuberculosis. It requires a delicately tuned ear to be able to recognize from the sounds in the chest an early involvement of the lungs.

Each patient is subjected to a thorough examination, and sometimes when the physician in charge, or one of his staff, finds something unusual in the patient's condition, he can secure the attention of the other physicians, and by means of the multiple stethoscope, pictured above, they can study the case.

It is nine years since Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of Health, first organized the dispensary system, and during that period more than eighty thousand people have been examined, of whom seventy-five per cent were found to be suffering from tuberculosis.

and evidently in deep distress.

As she ran toward Robert he advanced to meet her with outstretched hands. The cigarette he had tossed aside performed a blazing parabola and fell at Mildred's feet. But she did not see it.

Her anguished eyes saw nothing save the glad look in Robert's face and the joy of the girl as she flew into his waiting arms.

"You!" cried Robert.

Mildred saw no more. She fled back along the crooked street with a wildly beating heart and an insatiable desire to laugh loud.

Did any woman ever have such an odd ending to a honeymoon?

An hour later she left the hotel with her trunk and handbag, and what excuse she made to the clerk I do not know, but there was no message for Robert Dwight when he came home at last to find her gone.

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Six months later and it was summer time in New England. Mildred Dwight had resumed her maiden name of Mildred Corson and had obtained a responsible position in one of the large manufactures of a Connecticut city.

As Miss Corson she acceptably filled her position and won her way into the hearts of her fellow clerks. Not one of them knew of the tragedy which had blighted her honeymoon, nor did one of them guess that Mildred had ever been a bride.

She found a pleasant boarding place and congenial friends. In the city were several good theaters and an occasional concert.

Still Mildred was very unhappy. She loved her husband, and, although the newspapers had told her that Robert was making a worldwide search for his vanished bride, she maintained silence toward those who had known her in the past.

There came a Saturday in August with its customary half holiday from work. Mildred had spent a quiet afternoon in her own room, and after the evening meal, one of her new acquaintances, Cora Fields, came with an invitation to attend one of the open air moving picture theaters.

Mildred rather liked the silent drama, so, clad in dainty white gowns, the two girls entered the inclosure and found seats near the front.

Overhead the stars were shining, and outside the inclosure was the hum of city street traffic. The orchestra was unusually good, and Mildred found herself strangely stirred when the violins drifted into McDowell's beautiful "To a Wild Rose."

The orchestra had played the melody during their first meal in that Florida hotel, and it brought back painful memories of her brief spell of happiness.

"But that morning in Jacksonville I started down to the tobacco shop with only one thought in my mind—to get back to you. As I turned into the street I met my old friend of college days, Jack Budlong, president of our Players' club. He was glad to see me and tearing his hair bitterly over the fact that his star player had come down with the measles and very morn-

ing.

"Budlong fell upon me like a long lost brother and pleaded with me to take the part of the measles one. So I did, and when I reached the hotel full of my experiences and with Miss Gray and Budlong accompanying me to meet the only woman in the world why, my wife had vanished without a word. So you believed that I was false to you?"

Mildred's punishment had been great, indeed, and she humbly acknowledged her lack of faith. "But how was I to know?" she asked pitifully.

Robert smiled wisely.

"In great love there is no faltering of faith," he gently reminded her as he drew her face to his shoulder. "As the man in the play lost and found his sweetheart, so I lost my wife and have found her."

advanced with outstretched arms to meet the heroine's graceful flying form.

Robert in the moving picture! Why, how had it happened?

All the way home she was asking herself the question, and through the darkness of her perplexity and doubt came one ray of light. During his college days Robert had been one of the college players and was considered a talented amateur actor.

"I am glad to marry the girl," signed Cora as they reached Mildred's door.

"Yes," said Mildred absently. "but he was married before that."

"Who was married before?" asked Cora, puzzled.

"Why, Robert, of course."

"But there was no Robert. His name was Arthur."

"I am stupid tonight," was Mildred's only explanation as she parted from her friend.

The next day Mildred obtained leave of absence and in her straightforward way went directly to New York and called at her husband's office.

She was trembling like a leaf when she was shown into Robert's private office.

He stared at her as one looks at the newly risen dead. His face was thin and worn and his brown hair sprinkled with gray.

"Robert," she said meekly and then promptly fainted away. When she opened her eyes she was lying on the leather couch, and Robert was on his knees bending over her. His eyes were tender and anxious.

"Can you ever forgive me?" was her first cry.

"Yes, dearest," he said generously. "But tell me what happened to send you away from me that day? I have searched land and sea for you, and I had given you up for dead when you appeared before me."

In a few broken sentences Mildred told her husband of her surprise and jealousy that day in Jacksonville and how when she was assured of his fidelity she had taken a train for the north and disappeared. Then the motion picture play on the screen had thrown a ray of light on the matter.

Robert's explanation made that ray a brilliant light of understanding which cleared up the mystery which had parted bride and groom for almost a year.

"You remember I told you I always acted in our college theatricals," he reminded her, "and many of my friends had urged me to enter the profession. But I did not seriously consider it and only now and then basked to attend the stage."

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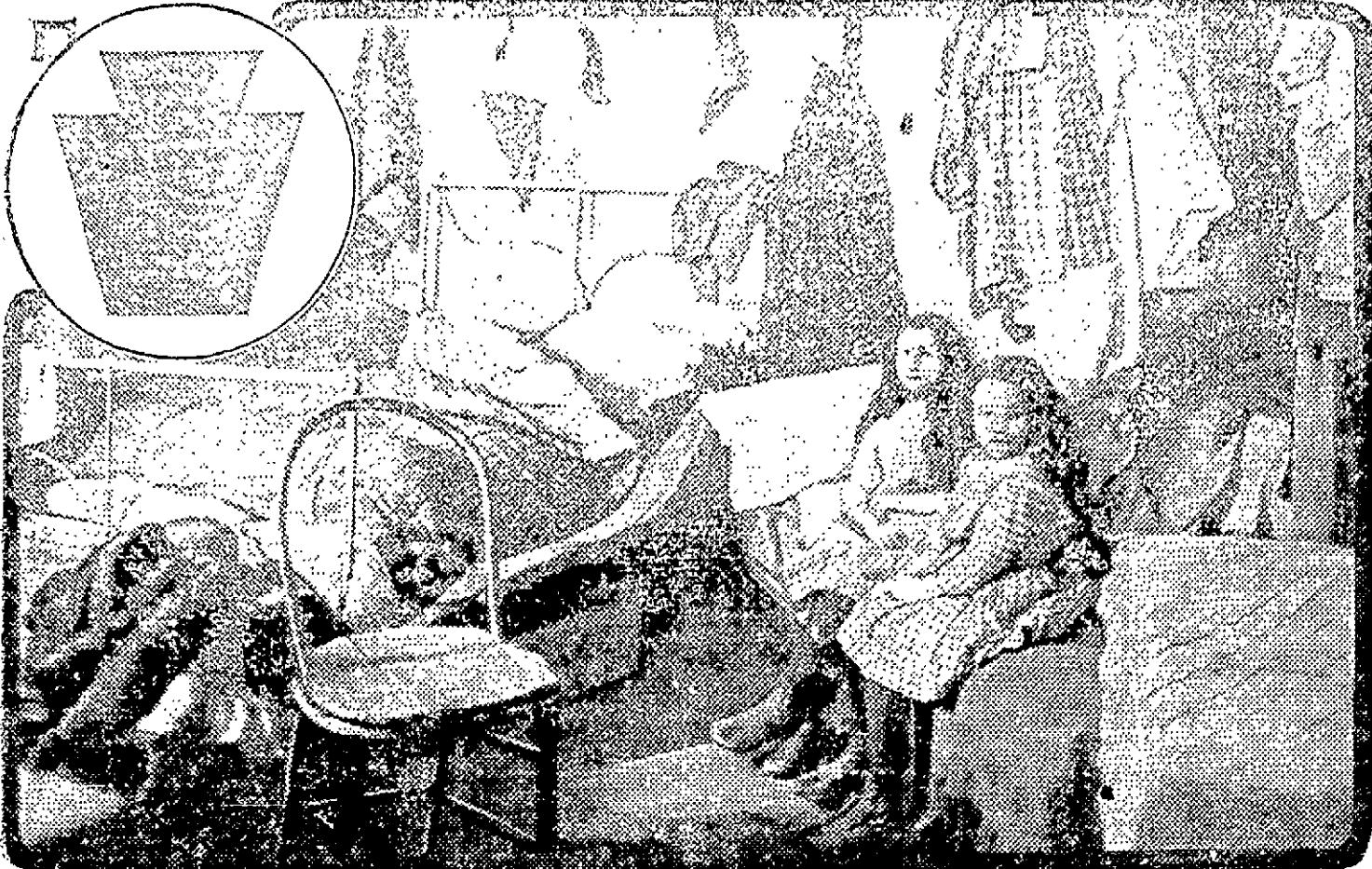
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CITY DANGERS IN THE COUNTRY



The houses in which we live, according to all students of social conditions, have a decided effect upon our mental, moral and physical condition.

The Bureau of Housing of the State Department of Health, under the direction of Commissioner of Health Samuel G. Dixon, has been engaged in the work of improving the living conditions in certain sections of the Commonwealth, with the idea of evolving conditions without causing a revolution.

The above picture shows that even in semirural districts, where there would seem to be sufficient sunlight and fresh air for all, conditions exist which practically duplicate the worst overcrowding of our cities.

This is the bedroom of a family of four—the father, mother and one child occupy the double bed and the other little girl the cot on which she is seated.

It was found on examination that the father was suffering from tuberculosis, and in the conditions under which they were living, it was in all probability only a question of time until the entire family became infected and dependent.

There were two rooms in the house: the one above and a dilapidated kitchen. Two windows gave all the light and air that they received. There was but one chair in the household, that in the foreground, and when the picture of the kitchen was taken by the Department's photographer, the chair was moved by the housewife to a prominent position in the foreground.

As a result of the State Department of Health's activities this family was moved into a four-room house and the father placed under treatment at a State Tuberculosis Dispensary. In this improved atmosphere and under the supervision of the Dispensary nurse it is hoped that these changed surroundings will make it possible for the father to wage a more successful fight for the recovery of his health and will prevent the remainder of the family becoming a charge upon the public through contracting the disease.

A LITERARY RIDDLE.

Why Does a Woman Write Differently From a Man?

Why is it that you can always tell a story written by a man from one written by a woman? I saw the thing put to a rather severe test within the last month, with results that were startling.

Ten men and women, all of whom do considerable novel reading, had had dinner together. One of the men asked the question I put at the top of these paragraphs. He was in his own home and went to some trouble to prove that the sex of authors is an easy thing to determine.

Giving to each of the nine others a pencil and piece of paper, the host proceeded to read extracts from twenty different books and magazines, selecting parts in which proper names would not identify the story. As he read each person wrote down his guess as to whether the author was a man or a woman.

Of the 180 answers made by the nine persons to the twenty tests all but eight were correct. As he kept the books from which he read concealed, it was impossible to get aid with the eye.

But, although everybody guessed right almost every time, no one could still give a good definition of the conundrum. Why does a woman write differently from a man?—Philadelphia Ledger.

INFLAMMABLE BOMBS.

Substances Used in the Making of These Deadly Explosives.

The incendiary bomb used by the Zeppelin aircraft, as a rule, is conical, of ten inch diameter at the base, wrapped round with torched wire and having a metal handle at the apex. The base is a flat cup, into which a pierced metal funnel is fitted, having the ignition device and handle fitted at the top.

The funnel is generally filled with thermite. The latter, upon ignition, generates intense heat and by the time of the explosion has taken the form of molten metal, having the exasperately high temperature of 5,500 degrees F. The metal is not, however, by the explosion.

Outside the funnel is a padding of a highly inflammable or resins material bound on with an inflammable form of resin. The resins material forms a putty-like substance.

There is generally some melted white phosphorus in the bottom of the cap, which develops noxious fumes, in some cases. Small clippings are added, and on one hand a small quantity of gasoline.—Philadelphia Press.

Buildings.

Buildings are contrivances which surround trouble, despite pleasure, entertainment, business, industry and plumbing.

Buildings are built with brick, mortar, cement, wood, steel and mortgages. It also takes sand to build buildings, but they should not be built on sand.

Some buildings are public and some are private. Public buildings are usually very imposing and usually the public has been imposed upon to build them. Private buildings are frequently private in name only, especially if occupied by certain inquisitive women. Such buildings are made up of a large number of stories and most of them are without foundation.

Rats, mice, fires, earthquakes and rent collectors are buildings' worst enemies.—Judge.

And They Called Him "Bonehead."

"My namesake, Heine Wagner of the Boston Red Sox, told me a story of how he endured a good roasting for being a 'bonehead' on a really bright play," said John (Bonus) Wagner.

"Heine was on second base, and they had a hit and run play on. He started for third, but instantly saw a soft liner going square into the shortstop's hands. Unable to get back, Heine stood still and let the hit hit him.

The crowd hooted and jeered, and one Boston paper roasted Wagner and baited him as the worst bit of irony in the business. They didn't realize that Heine's quick thinking had averted a double play. In getting hit he prevented the catch from being made and a double play resulting from a toss to second. As it was, the batter was protected and credited with a base hit.

The batter, thanks to Heine's quick bit of thinking, scored the winning run, but for days Heine walked around facing charges of being a "bonehead."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Dried Apples.

Peel, core and slice the apples. Place them on platters, wooden trays or any other convenient receptacle and place them in the sunshine. Take them in at night and during rains. It is impossible to secure good dried fruit unless they are protected from moisture.

Protect them from flies and other insects with netting and place them out of the dust as far as possible. Continue the drying until the fruit has lost more than half its weight. If necessary it may be placed in the oven for two or three hours at the end. Tie the dried fruit in paper sacks, using a double thickness if thin skin sacks are used, and suspend them from the ceiling of the driest room available.

When ready to use the dried fruit wash it well, soak it for six hours or longer and throw away the liquid drained off. Then cook the fruit for several hours at a temperature slightly below the boiling point.—Mothers' Magazine.

GREAT SALT LAKE.

Its Water Is Saline Simply Because It Has No Outlet.

Great Salt lake has no outlet. The Jordan river, which enters it from the south, is the outlet of Utah lake. Bear river, coming from the north, carries the outflow from Bear lake. The waters of Utah and Bear lakes and of Jordan and Bear rivers are fresh, and so is the water of Weber river, the third great tributary of Great Salt lake, but the lake into which the three rivers flow is saline. It is saline because it has no outlet.

The fresh waters of the rivers contain some saline matter, but the quantity is too small to be discovered by taste.

As stated by the chemist, in parts per million, the quantity seems minute, but when account is taken of the total volume of water brought by the streams to the lake in a year their burden of saline matter is found to be really great, amounting annually to more than 500,000 tons.

Year by year and century by century the water which they pour into the lake is evaporated, but the dissolved solids cannot escape in that way and therefore remain.

They have accumulated until the lake water is approximately saturated, holding nearly as much mineral matter as it can retain in solution. The lake contains over 5,000,000,000 tons of common salt and 900,000,000 tons of glauconite salt (sodium sulphate) as well as other mineral matter.—New York Telegram.

ROMANCE OF THE BAHAMAS.

Life in Nassau Was Once a "Purple Princely Thing."

During the American war between the states Nassau of the Bahamas was very much on the tongues of men as the devil-may-care emporium of contraband cotton, whereby hangs many a dashing sea story, some of which you can still hear from the lips of the men who took part in them.

The whole history of the Bahamas, since Columbus made his first landfall in the western seas on Watling's island, has been a fantastic record of desperate opportunism. The prose of "legitimate" business has seldom dined the edge of precarious prosperity on these derelict islands, whose very existence still seems at the grudging mercy of the sea.

Buccaneering, wrecking and blockade running—no more tedious employ than these masculine professions occupied the Bahamians for generations, and so long as there were merchantmen to be boarded or scuttled, rich cargoes to be harvested from the white fanged reefs or cotton to be run to Wilmington at a profit of \$100,000 the trip life in Nassau was a purple princely thing, and even the sheebuckles in Bay street played pitch and toss with gold.—Richard Le Gallienne in Harper's Magazine.

Valuable Ground.

Edythe—Did the duke say he loved you? Kate—he said he loved the ground I walked on. Edythe—Pardon, were you when he said it? Kate—on visiting Japan's gold mine.—Phil. Del Gazette.

Diplomatic.

Father—Can the girl you are going to make a good batch of bread? Son—I can vouch for the fact that she can handle the dough all right.—National American.

Finally she rushed for the tube of cold cream. It was labeled "Library Paste."—Youth's Companion.

Long Days on Uranus.

Uranus can be claimed for a British planet. It was discovered at Bath in 1781 by the elder Sir William Herschel, the musician who became private as astronomer to George III. Uranus is so distant from us and has an atmosphere so dense that little is known about the rotation, position of the axis or number of the satellites. But the inhabitants, if they exist, may console themselves for living in a temperature approaching zero with the fact that they can seldom be fined for income tax, because their year contains more than 30,000 days.—London Mail.

The Bull of Perilus.

Perilus of Athens is said to have invented for Phalaris, tyrant of Agrigentum, 570 B. C., a brazen bull which opened on the side to admit victims who were to be roasted by the fire which was built underneath. The dying groans of the sufferers resembled closely the roaring of a mad bull. Phalaris greatly admired the invention and by way of test roasted the inventor first. Later the populace rose in rebellion and burned Phalaris.

Venison.

The prime joint of venison is undoubtedly the haunch, though a shoulder or neck of venison properly cooked is a very toothsome dish. The loin is best cut up into chops and cutlets, the breast being only suitable for soups, ragouts and pies.

Her Description.

Muggins—Women have such queer ways of expressing themselves! Buggins—Such as? Muggins—Well, my wife was telling me about Miss Yellowleaf and said she was a sight to behold and in the very next breath said she wasn't fit to be seen.—Philadelphia Record.

The First Step.

Young Woman (before milliner's window) to her maid—That hat is perfectly lovely. I must have it. Marie, be sure to remind me to kiss my husband when I get home.

Missed Fire.

Putton-Ayres—I am caviare to the general, you know, Miss Innocent. Are you, really? My brother is in the military too.—Boston Transcript.

Misery travels free through the whole world.—Schiller.

Don't Scold Fretful Children.

That nervousness, fretting and restlessness is no doubt caused by worms or constipation. Instead of whipping or scolding, give your child a treatment of Kickapoo Worm Killer. Nice candy confections that kill the worms and are laxative enough to move the bowels and expel not only the worms but accumulated poisons. These poisons and worms bring on fever, make children nervous and irritable, reduce their vitality and make them victims of sickness. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Killer today at your Druggist, only 25c.

Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12th, St. Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22nd, February 2nd, Candlemas-day, half your wood and half your hay," meaning that day should be the middle of winter and you should find your supply of provider and fuel but half exhausted.

Constipation.

When constipated or troubled with constipation take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

Reports from the Ninth Internal Revenue District, which includes Adams county, show that 55 cigar manufacturers have closed their factories and warehouses announcing that they will not do business this year.

How Mr. Davis Got Rid of a Bad Cough.

"Some time ago I had a very bad cough" writes Lewis T. Davis, Blackwater, Del. "my brother McCabe Davis gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy.

After taking this I bought half a dozen bottles of it but only used one of them as the cough left me and I have not been troubled since." Obtainable everywhere.

Cleason Smith who has been engaged in the harness making business in Abbottstown, has discontinued his shop and will go to farming in Reading township this spring.

DYSPEPSIA is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price, \$1.00.

Edward R. Eckenrode, formerly of Gettysburg, has been appointed general agent for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., succeeding his uncle, the late John E. Eckenrode, of Lancaster. Mr. Eckenrode lives in Harrisburg and his territory comprises five counties in this section.

Has Used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for 20 Years.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my household for the past twenty years. I began giving it to my children when they were small. As a quick relief for croup, whooping cough, and ordinary colds, it has no equal. Being free from opium and other harmful drugs, I never felt afraid to give it to the children. I have recommended it to a large number of my friends and neighbors, who have used it and speak highly of it," writes Mrs. Mary Minkle, Shortsville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

The town of Thurmont owns its own town hall, rents it as a moving picture theatre on a commission basis. The war tax places a special tax on these places. This tax was never paid and this was discovered recently when it was rented by another. U. S. Revenue men visited Thurmont and collected the back tax and a \$500 fine, amounting to \$500.

For that Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment.

The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this irritation, and many cases have been cured by its use. For Sale by People's Drug Store.

Mrs. Daniel Jacobs of East Berlin, aged about 72 years, while doing some work in her room, was seized with a fainting spell and fell striking the edge of a chest which fractured several of her ribs and caused bad bruises.

Finally she rushed for the tube of cold cream. It was labeled "Library Paste."—Youth's Companion.

Hold faithfulness and sincerity as the first principles. Sincerity is the way of heaven.—Confucius.

Fire caused by a spark from smoking meat completely destroyed the smoke house belonging to Charles Clark of Brushfield last Saturday afternoon. Through prompt efforts the other buildings were saved. The smoke house contained the meat of three large hogs of which only three pieces were rescued.

Reason Enthroned.

Because meats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite control; then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. Try it. For sale at the People's Drug Store. Samples free.

Walter Cromer of Abbottstown, narrowly escaped serious injury when he drove his auto across the street in York in front of a trolley car. The wheels of the auto passed over the fender of the trolley and the machine was pushed about seven feet before the trolley could be stopped.

Do You Find Fault With Everybody?

An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

Ralph H. Rebert of Seven Stars and Nelson Slaybaugh of Aspers, students of Carlisle Business College, have received appointments as follows: the former bookkeeper and the latter stenographer with the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one (dreaded disease) that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's catarrh cure is taken internally, acting directly upon blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitutional and assisting nature in doing its work.

The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., TOLEDO, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pill for constipation.

The Bell Telephone Company is at work installing a new line in the vicinity of Bermudian, to serve Petersboro, Round Hill, and Bermudian Churches, through the East Berlin exchange.

Liven up Your Tropic Liver.

To keep your liver active use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They insure good digestion, relieve constipation, and tone up the whole system—keep your eye clear and your skin fresh and healthy looking. Only 25c. at your Druggist.

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The Casper Krebs property in McSherrystown has been sold at public sale to Mrs. Webster Sain of that place for \$647.

Lester Lease, year and a half old son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lease of near East Berlin, fell while playing and a stick which he had in his hand ran in his mouth badly puncturing the child's palate.

Bad Cold Quickly Broken Up.

Mrs. Martha Wilcox, Gowanda, N. Y. writes: "I first used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy about eight years ago. At that time I had a hard cold and coughed most of the time. It proved to be just what I needed. It broke up the cold